

The Daily Courant.

Saturday, August 24. 1706.

London, August 24.

Yesterday arriv'd 2 Mails from Ostend, which brought the Brussels Gazette and Amsterdam Courant of Friday last the 27th Instant N. S.

From the Brussels Gazette, dated August 27.

Venice, August 7.

Several General Officers of the Hessian Troops are come hither to pay their Respects to the Hereditary Prince of Hesse, who will stay here till all his Troops are come down into the Veroneze: He is a little indispos'd. All the Advices from Terra firma confirm, that Prince Eugene's Vanguard is at San Ilario beyond Reggio, within 2 Miles of the Left of the Army of the Duke of Orleans, which continues encamp'd between Luzara and Guastalla, and that there are frequent Skirmishes between the Parties of the 2 Armies. The Duke of Orleans has caus'd the Fortifications of Revere, Ortiglia and San Benedetto, to be blown up: He has a Bridge over the Po at Guastalla, another at Borgoforte, and a third at Cremona. The French have abandon'd their Posts on the Lake of Garda and laid up their Gallies, and the Troops that were there have reinforced the Count de Medavy at Goito, as well to cover Mantua, as to be at Hand to joyn the Duke of Orleans. A vast Quantity of Provisions is embarking at Trieste and other Ports in our Gulf belonging to the Emperor, for the Imperial Army.

From the Antwerp Courant, dated August 27.

Cremona, August 10. To Day the Cavalry that is come out of Piemont, and which consists of 3000 Horse and 1200 Dragoons, will joyn the Army of the D. of Orleans; which by this Reinforcement will be made strong enough to make Head against the Imperialists till the Siege of Turin is over. Great Magazines are making here, and 'tis given out, that after the Duke de la Feuillade has taken Turin, he will send a Detachment of 18000 Men more to the Duke of Orleans.

Milan, Aug. 13. According to the Advices from Piemont, there is ground to hope the Siege of Turin will soon be brought to an End. The Wall of the Citadel is most of it beaten down by the constant Fire of the Besiegers, and the Breach is already above 30 Fathom wide, so that 'tis ready for an Assault. Prince Eugene continues with his Army in the Modeneze, and no doubt will make himself Master of all that Duchy and of Mirandola. The Duke of Orleans continues encamped in his former Posts along the Crostolo, has caus'd Works to be made to defend the Passages of that River, and has given Order for bringing in to his Camp and to Cremona all the Forrage that can be cut in the Territories of Parma, Piacenza, Pallavicino, and Landi, to the End the Germans in Case they penetrate forwards may want Subsistence for their Horse.

Pignerol, August 15. Since the 10th of this Month, above 600 Deserters from the Duke of Savoy's

Troops are come into the Camp before Turin; and most of them, especially the Swiss, are incorporated into our Regiments. The Siege of Turin goes on now Successfully, and the Miners have promis'd to have their Works under the Cavalier or great Bastion of the Citadel ready to be sprung to Day. If that Mine do great Execution, we shall venture an Assault, which General Thaurin seems resolv'd to stand. So many Sick and wounded Men are brought hither from our Army, that we are forc'd to send some to Susa and Briancon. The Vaudois laid a Design to sieze a Convoy which was coming hither from Dauphine, but our Governour having Intelligence of it sent 280 Horse into the Plain, which this Morning brought safe into this Place the said Convoy, consisting of 678 Mules loaded with Powder. 'Tis talk'd here, that for certain all the Places we have taken from the Duke of Savoy will be demolish'd, but that when we have taken the City and Citadel of Turin we shall keep their Fortifications standing.

Strasbourg, August 17. The Marshal de Villars finding it not feasible to undertake any thing against the Germans, came Yesterday with all his Troops into the Lines of Haguenau. He was hardly in the Lines, but he receiv'd an Express from the French Court; whereupon he immediately detach'd 2600 Horse and 12 Battallions of Foot towards Phalsbourg. 'Tis suppos'd this Detachment is order'd for the Netherlands, to reinforce the Duke of Vendome.

Hague, August 24. Last Night came Advice, that the 22d Instant at 2 in the Afternoon, the Governour of Menin beat a Parley; and this Evening arriv'd M. Collen with Advice, that the Capitulation (which is much like that granted to the Garrison of Ostend) was concluded and sign'd at five an Hour past Eight that Evening. The Garrison is to march out at the Lisse Gate, the Breach not being practicable for them to march through it to Douay.

Courtray, August 24. To Morrow the Garrison of Menin (which from 4000 Men of which it consisted when the Siege begun, is reduc'd to 1700) is to march out pursuant to the Capitulation, with 6 Pieces of Cannon, 2 Mortars, 40 Waggones whereof 6 cover'd, Colours flying, and all other Marks of Honour, and to be conducted to Douay. The taking of this Place has cost the Allies 1200 Men kill'd, and 2300 wounded. The Works before Menin, will be levell'd by the 28th Instant. The Duke of Marlborough has sent strong Detachments to view Ipres and Lisse. The French Army lies behind the Deulle 2 Leagues from Lisse. The Enemy are in no Condition to make a stand against the Allies. P. S. The Enemy are in Motion, and are retiring from the Deulle.

Ghent, Aug. 25. Lisse or Ipres will certainly be Besieg'd forthwith. The Garrisons of those Places consists of 14 Battallions and one Regiment of Dragoons each. To Day 21 Vessels laden with heavy Artillery and Mortars,

tars, arriv'd from Sas van Ghent, to be employ'd with the Artillery that was us'd against Menin, against one of those Places. All the Advices from the French Flanders, say 'tis impossible to express the Consternation of the Inhabitants, who perceive that the Allies will easily push on their Victorious Arms, without being oppos'd by the French, who for fear of being attack'd are retir'd from their Camp near Lille to la Bassee.

Ghent, Aug. 25. To Day all the Vessels here were taken up, in order to be laden with Ammunition and Provisions. Yesterday the Army under the Duke of Marlborough, (Forage being grown scarce above,) made a General Forrage down to Auwegem and Eeke within 3 Leagues of this Town. This Morning came Advice, that the Duke of Vendome having put all the French Troops into Towns, is gone Post to Court; and that the Duke of Bavaria with the Troops of Bavaria, Cologne, and the Spaniards, is march'd to Mons; but this requires Confirmation. Letters that are just come in from Courtray, say General Fagel with 25000 Men is detach'd from our Army to invest Ipres, which Place by Reason of the very dry Weather, will soon be taken.

From the Brussels Gazette, dated August 27.

Paris, August 23. We have Advice by Letters from the Camp of King Philip at Marchaunalo of the 10th Instant, that King Charles join'd the Portuguese Army the 6th; and the Earl of Peterborow with 7 Battalions of regular Troops and 17 or 1800 Horse the 8th; that the 2 Armies were within long Cannon Shot of each other; that King Charles was making necessary Dispositions for attacking the other, and that there were Skirmishes frequently between the Parties detach'd on each side to annoy the Foragers. Letters from Italy say the Duke of Orleans continues at Guastalla, where he has caus'd his Camp to be intrench'd. He has written to the King, that he hopes to stop Prince Eugene by the several Dispositions he has made, as well on the Mincio, as on the Oglio and the Po from Guastalla to Valence on the Edge of the Milanese next Piemont. He has sent a Reinforcement of 20 Battalions and as many Squadrons to the Count de Medavi who is on the other side of the Po, to enable him the better to oppose the Germans that remain on that side.

Brussels, Aug. 27. The Enemy's Army under the Duke of Vendome continue behind the Deule, between Lille and Warneton, where they are Intrench'd, waiting further Reinforcements. The said Duke has reinforced the Garrisons of some Places that are expos'd, to enable them to make a good Defence in Case of Attack.

P. S. London, August 24.

The Siege of Turin is certainly carried on very slowly: For the Brussels Gazette above mention'd has an Article from the Camp before that Place of the 15th of August, in which there is nothing material. And we are inform'd the Paris Gazette of August 28, gives no Account of that Siege after the 14th.

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